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In re patent application of: :
Miyamoto, et al. : Art Unit: 1774
Serial No: 08/861,943 : Examiner: Merrick Dixon
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For: APPARATUS FOR FABRICATING AN OPTICAL INFORMATION MEDIUM
(As amended herein)

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 22, 1998
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the Office Action dated June 22, 1998, a three month period was set for response. Accordingly, Applicants' petition for a two month extension of time and a check in the amount of \$380.00, the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(b), are included herewith. In response to the Office Action mailed June 22, 1998, kindly enter the following amendment.

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